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The volume bears no date on title-page, or elsewhere where a date is naturally looked for, though the date 1917 appears under the state printer's name. Its publication appears to have been delayed, as so many other volumes have been in recent years.

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*Petroleum and Natural Gas in Indiana.* By W. M. LOGAN, State Geologist. Fort Wayne: The Department of Conservation, Division of Geology, 1920. Pp. 279.

Like the preceding, this volume appropriately discusses the general fundamental questions concerning the origin and accumulation of oil and gas, and methods of finding it (pp. 10-48). A summary of the stratigraphy of the state (pp. 50-62) is followed by reports on the several counties. A map showing the oil and gas areas of the state accompanies the report.

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*The Sand and Gravel Resources of Missouri.* By C. L. DAKE. Rolla: Missouri Bureau of Geology and Mines. Vol. XV, 2d ser. (1918). Pp. xii+274, 17 plates.

A useful volume, dealing not only with the geological phases of the subject, but with the industrial phases as well. It is not restricted to surface sands and gravels, but includes available materials of these types in formations from the Cambrian up. Incidentally the volume presents a brief, up-to-date summary of the stratigraphic succession of the state, which is welcome and useful. The volume should be of value to those engaged in most sorts of construction work, both now and in the future, as well as to geologists.

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*The Physical Features of Anne Arundel County.* By HOMER P. LITTLE and OTHERS. Baltimore: Maryland Geological Survey, 1917. Pp. 232, pls. 9.

This county report covers the physiography, geology, mineral resources, soils, climate, magnetism, and forests. The county lies in the coastal plain, and formations older than the Cretaceous therefore are wanting. One of the striking features of the geology of the region is the large number of unconformities in the Coastal Plain series. There